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Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations

Report of the Fifth Committee

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I. Introduction

1. At its 2nd plenary meeting, on 16 September 2011, the General Assembly, on the recommendation of the General Committee, decided to include in the agenda of its sixty-sixth session the item entitled "Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations" and to allocate it to the Fifth Committee.
2. The Fifth Committee considered the item at its 25th meeting, on 23 December 2011. Statements and observations made in the course of the Committee's consideration of the item are reflected in the relevant summary record (A/C.5/66/SR.25).

II. Consideration of draft decision A/C.5/66/L.24

3. At its 25th meeting, on 23 December, the Committee had before it a draft decision entitled "Questions deferred for future consideration" (A/C.5/66/L.24), submitted by the Chair of the Committee.
4. At the same meeting, the Committee adopted draft decision A/C.5/66/L.24 without a vote (see para. 5).

III. Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

5. The Fifth Committee recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

Questions deferred for future consideration

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The General Assembly decides to defer until the first part of its resumed sixty-sixth session consideration of the following documents:

Item 134

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013

Report of the Board of Auditors on the capital master plan for the year ended 31 December 2010¹

Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the recommendations of the Board of Auditors contained in its report on the capital master plan for the year ended 31 December 2010²

Ninth annual progress report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the capital master plan and report of the Secretary-General on the proposals for financing associated costs for 2012 from within the approved budget for the capital master plan³

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the capital master plan⁴

Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the audit of capital master plan procurement and contract management, including change orders⁵

Report of the Secretary-General on the feasibility study on the United Nations Headquarters accommodation needs 2014-2034⁶

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the feasibility study on the United Nations Headquarters accommodation needs 2014-2034⁷

Report of the Secretary-General on the financing of unforeseen and extraordinary expenses arising from resolutions and decisions of the Human Rights Council⁸

¹ *Official Records of the General Assembly, Sixty-sixth Session, Supplement No. 5 (A/66/5 (Vol.V))*.

² A/66/324.

³ A/66/527 and Add.1.

⁴ A/66/7/Add.11.

⁵ A/66/179.

⁶ A/66/349.

⁷ A/66/7/Add.3, chap. V.

⁸ A/66/558 and Corr.1.

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the financing of unforeseen and extraordinary expenses arising from resolutions and decisions of the Human Rights Council⁹

Report of the Secretary-General on limited budgetary discretion¹⁰

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on limited budgetary discretion¹¹

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The General Assembly decides to defer until the main part of its sixty-seventh session consideration of the following documents:

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Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2012-2013

Report of the Secretary-General on the review of arrangements for funding and backstopping special political missions¹²

Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions on the review of arrangements for funding and backstopping special political missions¹³

⁹ A/66/7/Add.16.

¹⁰ A/66/570.

¹¹ A/66/7/Add.18.

¹² A/66/340.

¹³ A/66/7/Add.21.